

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant:	Robert George Gilde et al.	Examiner:	Yemane M. Gerezgiher
Application No.:	09/814,415	Group Art Unit:	2144
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Title:	METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR OPTIMIZING A NETWORK BY INDEPENDENTLY SCALING CONTROL SEGMENTS AND DATA FLOW		

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**REQUEST TO PAY ADDITIONAL FEES**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

A Notice of Allowance was mailed on October 12, 2007 for the above-identified application. The issue fee was paid January 14, 2008, however the fees paid were mistakenly paid for a small entity rather than a large entity. The U.S. Patent Office was authorized to charge any additional amount to Deposit Account No. 13-2725, however no such withdrawals were made. Applicants left numerous telephone messages with the U.S. Patent Office, however no response was received on how to correct this error. Applicants respectfully request they be allowed to pay the additional amount of \$720 via Deposit Account No. 13-2725 to place this application in condition for allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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